COMMISSION MEETING March 8, 2004

The Commission conducted a Teleconference Meeting on March 8, 2004. Following are highlights of actions taken:

- The Commission approved its new slate of Officers, who will assume their new responsibilities immediately:
 - o David Roth, Chair
 - o Maria Elena Serna, Vice Chair
 - James Fousekis, Treasurer
 - o Charles Moore, Secretary
- Commissioner Charles Moore was confirmed to serve on the EDFUND Board of Directors.
- Appointments were made to the Commission's Grant Advisory Committee:
 - Mary T. Lindsey, Director, Financial Aid Special Projects at the Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandising, representing Proprietary Institutions
 - Craig Yamamoto, Financial Aid Director at Sierra College, representing the California Community Colleges
 - Sharon Bowles, Counselor at Skyline High School, representing High School Counselors
 - Michelle Sliwa, Counselor for Chino Hills High School, representing K-12 Schools
- Appointments were made to the Commission's Loan Advisory Council:
 - Vince DeAnda, Director of Financial Aid at University of California, San Diego, representing the University of California
 - Karen Fonte, National Sales Manager for the Student Loan Corporation, Citibank, representing Participating Lending Institutions
- The Commission approved Guiding Principles to guide the Commission during the 2004-05 state budget discussions.